

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application Of: Odidi, et al.

Group No.: TBD

Serial No.: 10/561,700

International Application No.: PCT/UCA2004/000825

Docket No. 221904-1050

International Filing Date: June 3, 2004

For: **Proton Pump-Inhibitor-Containing Capsules Which Comprise Subunits Differently Structured For A Delayed Release Of The Active Ingredient**

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN
THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

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Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks
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Sir:

In Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office, dated November 3, 2006, please find enclosed:

1. Executed Declaration;
2. a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office; and
4. Credit card payment form in the amount of \$65.00 to pay for additional fees.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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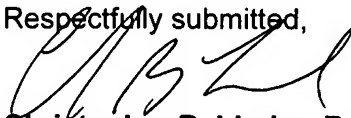
Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above case are the following documents:

Return Postcard
Response to Notification of Missing Requirements
Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements
Declaration and Power of Attorney
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Further, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 20-0778 for any additional fees required. The Commissioner is requested to credit any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 20-0778.

Respectfully submitted,


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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/22/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/22/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 12/22/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 12/22/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/22/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 12/22/2005

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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$65** for a Small Entity:

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- **\$65** Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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